

### GENERAL INFORMATION

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General Background	The Sophia Antipolis campus is located on the French Riviera in Sophia Antipolis, a technology park which is home to several famous companies, research institutes and schools of higher education. Most of SKEMA's students live in either Antibes or Juan les Pins, coastal towns close to Sophia Antipolis which are easily accessible by bus.	
Events	The Grande Ecole diploma of SKEMA's founder schools (CERAM Business School and Groupe ESC Lille) is recognized by the French State and endorsed as "Master". More than 6200 SKEMA' students have access to our campuses and international structure, with sites in <b>Asia, Europe and America</b> . Our American campus in Raleigh, North Carolina has just opened. The school itself is international in nature, and as a result, <b>35%</b> of the students at the campuses in France come from abroad. The faculty of SKEMA Business School is composed of both French and foreign professor-researchers of very high academic standards : <b>138 professors; 62 CNRS</b> (National Center of Scientific Research) stars; <b>268 publications</b> .	
Campus Academic Areas	SKEMA Master of Science Program ("Grande Ecole Program") SKEMA "EAI Bachelor Program" <i>French classes at different levels are proposed to foreign students.</i>	



### ACADEMIC INFORMATION: SKEMA "Grande Ecole Program"

Sophia Antipolis Campus Areas of Study	Marketing & Business, Management, Finance
Grading System	Our grading system ranks from 0 to 20, with 20 being the best mark. Transcripts also show ECTS grades.

### ACADEMIC INFORMATION: SKEMA "EAI Bachelor Program"

Areas of Study	Business and Management, Communication, Engineering, Environment, Aviation
Grading System	US based. Grading scale from 0 to 4. Pass grade : C(2.0). Transcripts also show ECTS grades.

### GENERAL INFORMATION/ COST OF LIVING

Housing	Sophia Antipolis campus has a special website which is an efficient tool to find accommodation and/or a roommate if desired: <a href="http://www.skema.edu/en/SOPHIA-ANTIPOLIS/Housing%20services">http://www.skema.edu/en/SOPHIA-ANTIPOLIS/Housing%20services</a> . For further information: <a href="mailto:corinne.bonnin@skema.edu">corinne.bonnin@skema.edu</a> Housing usually costs an average of 450€/600€/per month.	 
Food	Meals are provided at the school cafeteria for 3.00€ from Monday to Friday.	
Airport/Bus Transport	Most of the students fly into the NICE Côte d'Azur Airport, which is 45 minutes from the Sophia Antipolis campus. There is a bus that costs 1€ run by the General Council of the PACA region. All main locations around the campus are accessible by bus. There are two kinds of subscriptions available to students: a monthly subscription (12€) or an annual subscription (100€)	
Health Insurance	All the incoming international students at SKEMA who are non-EU citizens must purchase "French Sécurité Sociale" insurance cover. The cost is around 200€. All students must have repatriation coverage during their stay at the host country.	
Computer facilities	Computer labs and wireless networks are available on campus.	

### IMPORTANT DEADLINES AND ORIENTATION

Application Deadlines	Fall Semester 2011 (Sept. to Dec.) : <b>15 May 2011</b> / Spring Semester 2012 (Jan. to Apr.) : <b>15 October 2011</b>
Orientation Day	We strongly recommended that all exchange students attend the Orientation Day which is organized in early September and January each year. During this day, international students will get all the academic and practical information they need for their studies at SKEMA Business School ==> confirmation of course choices, study schedule, student card, computer account, visit of the campus, Resident Permit information, presentation of student associations.
Academic Calendar	<b>Fall Semester:</b> September - December and <b>Spring Semester:</b> January - April
Resident Permit	Non-European students coming to SKEMA Business School for more than 3 months need a long-stay student visa and must apply for a Residence Permit. The International Office provides a service to assist international students in the preparation of their application for the Residence Permit. This is available on-campus once a week from September to February: <a href="mailto:dlarive@teamcotedazur.fr">dlarive@teamcotedazur.fr</a>
International students' guide	An international students' guide is available on our website and gives important information to help students prepare their stay: <a href="http://www.skema.edu/en/pdf/international/easygoing-skema.pdf">http://www.skema.edu/en/pdf/international/easygoing-skema.pdf</a>